If you effect a securities transaction	Then you may elect to
(c) For an account for which you do not exercise investment discretion, and for which you and the customer have agreed in writing to an arrangement concerning the time and content of the written notice.	Give or send to the customer a written notice at the agreed- upon time and with the agreed-upon content, and include a statement that you will furnish the registered broker-dealer confirmation described in § 551.80 or the written notice de- scribed in § 551.90 within a reasonable time after the cus- tomer's written request.
(d) For an account for which you exercise investment discre- tion other than in an agency capacity, excluding common or collective investment funds.	Give or send the registered broker-dealer confirmation de-
(e) For an account in which you exercise investment discretion in an agency capacity.	Give or send each customer a written itemized statement specifying the funds and securities in your custody or possession and all debits, credits, and transactions in the customer's account. You must provide this information to the customer not less than once every three months. You must give or send the registered broker-dealer confirmation described in §551.90 or the written notice described in §551.90 within a reasonable time after a customer's written request.
(f) For a common or collective investment fund	(1) Give or send to a customer who invests in the fund a copy of the annual financial report of the fund, or (2) Notify the customer that a copy of the report is available and that you will furnish the report within a reasonable time after a written request by a person to whom a regular periodic accounting would ordinarily be rendered with respect to each participating account.

§551.110 May I provide a notice electronically?

You may provide any written notice required under this subpart B electronically. If a customer has a facsimile machine, you may send the notice by facsimile transmission. You may use other electronic communications if:

- (a) The parties agree to use electronic instead of hard copy notices;
- (b) The parties are able to print or download the notice:
- (c) Your electronic communications system cannot automatically delete the electronic notice; and
- (d) Both parties are able to receive electronic messages.

§ 551.120 May I charge a fee for a notice?

You may not charge a fee for providing a notice required under this subpart B, except that you may charge a reasonable fee for the notices provided under §§ 551.100(a), (d), and (e).

Subpart C—Settlement of Securities Transactions

§551.130 When must I settle a securities transaction?

- (a) You may not effect or enter into a contract for the purchase or sale of a security that provides for payment of funds and delivery of securities later than the latest of:
- (1) The third business day after the date of the contract. This deadline is no later than the fourth business day after the contract for contracts involving the sale for cash of securities that are priced after 4:30 p.m. Eastern Standard Time on the date the securities are priced and are sold by an issuer to an underwriter under a firm commitment underwritten offering registered under the Securities Act of 1933, 15 U.S.C. 77a, et seq., or are sold by you to an initial purchaser participating in the offering;
- (2) Such other time as the SEC specifies by rule (*see* SEC Rule 15c6-1, 17 CFR 240.15c6-1); or
- (3) Such time as the parties expressly agree at the time of the transaction. The parties to a contract are deemed to have expressly agreed to an alternate date for payment of funds and delivery